APPENDIX F

Best Management Practice Requirements for Dry Cleaning Establishments

I. GENERAL CONDITIONS:

- A. This Zero Discharge of Perchloroethylene (PERC) to Sewer Certification form applies only to the owner of record and to the site for which the certification was submitted. It is not transferable to a new owner or another location.
- B. The facility is required to submit a Zero Discharge Certification form by the due dates shown in Attachment B of the permit. If a blank certification form is not received prior to the deadline, it is the responsibility of the owner to contact the Industrial Wastewater Control Program (IWCP).

II. DISCHARGE PROHIBITIONS:

- A. There shall be no discharge to sewer of PERC or PERC-contaminated wastes including, but not limited to, separator water, still oil, and vacuum system water.
- B. PERC-contaminated waste water shall not be recycled through any process which ultimately results in discharge to the sewer system (e.g. boilers and cooling towers).

III. DISPOSAL REQUIREMENTS:

- A. Current written procedures shall be maintained describing the methods used for disposing of PERC-contaminated wastes.
- B. Designated employees must be trained in proper disposal and spill procedures.
- C. Hazardous waste manifests for disposal of spent solvent, PERC-contaminated waste water and filter media shall be maintained for three years. These must be made available to IWCP personnel upon request.

IV. SPILL PREVENTION MEASURES:

- A. All floor drains in areas where PERC/solvent is used or stored must be permanently sealed.
- B. Exposed floor sinks in areas adjacent to dry cleaning operations must be protected from accidental discharges. This may be accomplished by sealing the sinks, or through the use of berms or other physical barriers.

V. COMPLIANCE INSPECTIONS:

Random unannounced inspections will be conducted to verify compliance with these requirements. Upon presentation of a valid IWCP id, Program personnel shall be allowed to enter the premises for purposes of conducting an inspection.

VI. ENFORCEMENT:

Failure to comply with these requirements will result in enforcement action, with the associated administrative fees billed to your firm.

VII. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER ENVIRONMENTAL LAWS:

Management of dry cleaning solvents and solvent-bearing wastes must be in compliance with all federal, state, and local environmental regulations. If an on-site evaporator is used, it is the responsibility of the industry to be aware of and comply with any legislation adopted by the Hazardous Materials Management Division (HMMD) and the Air Pollution Control District (APCD) which regulates operation of and/or emissions from evaporators.